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(57) Abstract:

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**PURPOSE:** To make good use of spaces within a cabin as well as to enhance safety by connecting the various types of equipment within the cabin with a communication interface made common just like an information bus type, and thereby providing a centralized indication of information within the cabin while centralized control of information is being performed.

**CONSTITUTION:** A device is furnished with a device main body 3 including a display section 2 provided for the instrument panel 1 for indicating various information, actuators 4 and 5 which move the device main body from its housing position, and with an operating switch 6 controlling the operations of the actuators. And operating switches for various equipment such as an air conditioner, an audio and video equipment, safety device and the like disposed within the cabin, are provided for the display section. In addition, a recording media mounting section 11 of the audio and video equipment and the like are provided for the rear section of the display section, and the mounting section is so constituted that it can be moved

